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6.(B) ANY SITE OR OTHER GROUND FROM WHICH SUCH MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT OR OTHER PROPERTY ARE REMOVED SHALL, IF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE MALAGASY REPUBLIC REQUIRES, BE RESTORED AS FAR AS POSSIBLE BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO ITS CONDITION AT THE DATE OF ITS OCCUPATION BY THAT GOVERNMENT BEFORE POSSESSION IS GIVEN BACK TO THE OWNER THEREOF. PARA

ART. 7. - 7(A) THE STATION SHALL BE OPERATED BY THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS NASA) WITH THE DIRECTORATE OF POSTS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF THE MALAGASY REPUBLIC (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS DPT) UNDER THE CONDITIONS DETERMINED IN THE ENCLOSURE. THE STATION MUST BE MANAGED BY 2 DIRECTORS APPOINTED BY EACH PARTY: THE DIRECTOR APPOINTED BY NASA SHALL REPRESENT THE NASA LOCALLY AND SUPERVISE PERFORMANCE OF PROGRAMS; THE DIRECTOR OF POSTS

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AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS SHALL ASSUME THE EFFECTIVE

ADMINISTRATION OF THE STATION. PARA

7.(B) BOTH GOVERNMENTS BEING DESIROUS OF EMPLOYING MALAGASY TECHNICAL PERSONNEL AT THE STATION, NASA, IN ADDITION TO USING ESSENTIAL UNITED STATES TECHNICIANS AND SPECIALISTS FOR AS LONG AS THEY MAY BE REQUIRED, WILL ENGAGE AND TRAIN MALAGASY PERSONNEL WITHIN THREE YEARS BEGINNING FROM JANUARY 1, 1974 FOR THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE STATION. PARA

AS MUTUALLY AGREED TO BETWEEN DPT AND NASA, UNITED STATES TECHNICIANS AND SPECIALISTS MAY BE USED AS REQUIRED TO SUPPLEMENT THE MALAGASY TECHNICAL STAFF FOR SPECIAL EQUIPMENT INSTALLATION, CHECKOUT OR OPERATIONS. PARA

ART. 8. - 8.(A) THE GOVERNMENT OF THE MALAGASY REPUBLIC SHALL TAKE THE NECESSARY STEPS TO FACILITATE THE ADMISSION INTO MADAGASCAR OF SUCH UNITED STATES PERSONNEL AS MAY BE ASSIGNED TO VISIT OR PARTICIPATE IN THE OPERATION OF THE FACILITY, THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES MUST REQUEST THE MALAGASY GOVERNMENT'S AGREEMENT AT LEAST THIRTY (30) DAYS BEFORE THE ARRIVAL OF SUCH PERSONNEL. THE PERSONNEL SO ASSIGNED SHALL NOT EXCEED THOSE NECESSARY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND EFFECTIVE OPERATION OF THE STATION. THE UNITED STATES PERSONNEL SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE LOCAL REGULATIONS GOVERNING IMMIGRATION, EMIGRATION AND THE RESIDENCE OF ALIENS IN MADAGASCAR. FURTHERMORE, NASA AND, SHOULD THE CASE ARISE, ITS CONTRACTOR SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE LABOR LEGISLATION PROVISIONS IN EFFECT IN MADAGASCAR. PARA

8.(B) PERSONAL PROPERTIES AND EFFECTS, INCLUDING VEHICLES OF TECHNICIANS ASSIGNED TO MADAGASCAR IN CONNECTION WITH THE STATION OPERATION WILL BE FREE OF TAXES AND DUTIES UPON THEIR ADMISSION INTO MADAGASCAR ONLY TO THE EXTENT THAT THE REGULATIONS UNDER ORDINARY LAW ALLOW. PARA

THE SAME HOLDS TRUE IN RESPECT OF DUTIES AND TAXES LEVIED WITHIN MALAGASY TERRITORY. PARA

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ART. 9. - 9(A) SUPPLEMENTARY ARRANGEMENTS BETWEEN NASA AND SUCH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE MALAGASY REPUBLIC AS (MAY BE) DESIGNATED FOR THIS PURPOSE MAY BE MADE AS REQUIRED. THE PURPOSE OF SUCH ARRANGEMENTS SHALL BE TO FIX THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR IMPLEMENTING THIS AGREEMENT. PARA

9.(B) ANY EXCEPTIONAL MEASURES THAT NASA MAY CONSIDER

NECESSARY TO ENSURE THE EFFICIENT OPERATION OF ITS STATION AND THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ITS PROGRAM MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ADVANCE TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE MALAGASY REPUBLIC FOR APPROVAL. PARA

9.(C) ANY PERSON DULY AUTHORIZED BY THE MALAGASY GOVERNMENT MAY HAVE ACCESS TO THE STATION. SUCH ACCESS MAY, HOWEVER, BE TEMPORARILY LIMITED IN NUMBER OF VISITS DURING THE OPERATIONAL PERIODS, PRIOR NOTICE OF WHICH MUST BE GIVEN TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE MALAGASY REPUBLIC, BOTH WITH RESPECT TO THE SCHEDULE AND THE PROGRAMS. THE SCIENTIFIC OBSERVATIONAL DATA OBTAINED BY THE STATION SHALL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE MALAGASY AUTHORITIES AS WELL AS TO THE WORLD SCIENTIFIC COMMUNITY. PARA

ART. 10. - 10.(A) THIS AGREEMENT IS CONCLUDED FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS BEGINNING FROM JANUARY 1, 1974. UPON THE TERMINATION OF SUCH PERIOD AND UPON THE REQUEST OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES, A NEW AGREEMENT MAY BE CONCLUDED BETWEEN BOTH PARTIES.

10.(B) SHOULD CHANGED CONDITIONS ALTER THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE STATION AT ANY TIME PRIOR TO DECEMBER 31, 1976, THAT GOVERNMENT SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO TERMINATE ITS USE OF THE STATION AFTER APPROPRIATE NOTICE SIX MONTHS IN ADVANCE TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE MALAGASY REPUBLIC OF ITS INTENTION TO TERMINATE USE OF THE STATION, IN SUCH A CASE THE ARTICLE 6(B) PROVISIONS SHALL APPLY BY RIGHT. END TEXT
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